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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY WARSAW IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OSCI, ENRG, PL

SUBJECT: ERDA JOINT FUND PROJECTS

REF: WARSAW 3424

1. IN ORDER TO GIVE POLES MORE TIME, ERDA HAS PREPARED  
ANOTHER LETTER WHICH EXTENDS "LETTER OF INTENT" UNTIL  
MAY 31, 1977. PLEASE INFORM MINISTRY OF MINES  
IMMEDIATELY. LETTER BEING SENT TO EMBASSY ASAP.

2. ERDA REQUEST THAT EVERY EFFORT BE MADE TO OBTAIN AN  
APPROPRIATE SIGNATURE IN A TIMELY MANNER. THE POLES  
SHOULD ALSO BE ASKED TO EXECUTE THE DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT  
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. PLEASE CABLE STATUS REPORT WHEN  
EMBASSY HAS INFORMATION REGARDING SIGNATURE BY POLES OF  
THE EXTENSION AND OF THE DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT.

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3. TEXT: MAY 13, 1977

"DR. BENON STRANZ  
MINISTRY OF MINING AND POWER  
THE POLISH PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC  
WARSAW, POLAND

DEAR DR. STRANZ:

EXTENSION OF LETTER OF INTENT TO IMPLEMENT INITIATION OF  
WORK ON PROJECT FOR U.S. POLISH COOPERATION IN COAL  
RESEARCH, DATED DECEMBER 8, 1976, AS EXTENDED

WE HAVE TRANSMITTED THE DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT ON SPECIFIED  
PROJECTS IN COAL RESEARCH BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES  
ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION AND THE  
POLISH MINISTRY OF MINING AND POWER. TO PRECLUDE ANY GAP  
IN THE CONTINUITY IN THE PROJECTS AS BEGUN UNDER THE SUB-  
JECT LETTER OF INTENT, ERDA HEREBY PROVIDES AN EXTENSION  
OF THE PERIOD OF COVERAGE TO MAY 31, 1977 PURSUANT TO  
PARAGRAPH 2 - DEFINITIZATION OF THE SUBJECT LETTER OF  
INTENT.

THE TOTAL PROVISIONAL LIABILITY UNDER THE LETTER OF  
INTENT IS INCREASED TO \$500,000. ALL OTHER TERMS AND  
CONDITIONS OF THE SUBJECT LETTER OF INTENT APPLY. PLEASE  
ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR ACCEPTANCE HEREOF BY SIGNING IN THE  
APPROPRIATE PLACE BELOW.

SINCERELY,

DR. S. WILLIAM GOUSE  
DEPUTY ASSISTANT DIRECTOR  
FOSSIL ENERGY, ENERGY RESEARCH  
-AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION

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JOSEPH P. CAPPELLO  
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR OPERATIONS  
DIVISION OF PROCUREMENT

ACCEPTED:  
MINISTRY OF MINING AND POWER

(SIGNATURE)

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(DATE) CHRISTOPHER

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